

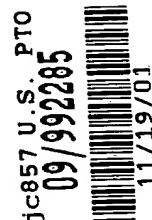
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Title : HONEYCOMB BODY, IN PARTICULAR CATALYST CARRIER  
BODY, FOR MOTORCYCLE OR DIESEL APPLICATIONS



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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 copies of the following patents and/or publications are submitted herewith:

U.S. Patent No. 4,602,001 (Cyron), dated July 22, 1986;

German Published, Non-Prosecuted Application No. 38 23 238 A1 (Takada et al.), dated January 26, 1989, pertains to a catalyst for cleaning exhaust gasses and to a catalyst carrier;

German Published, Non-Prosecuted Application No. 44 10 744 A1 (Bode et al.), dated October 12, 1995, pertains to a metallic honeycomb body with increased electrical resistance;

German Published, Non-Prosecuted Application No. 44 18 630 A1 (Wieres), dated November 30, 1995, as mentioned on page 3 of the Office action;

Published European Patent Application No. 0 497 992 A1 (Sato et al.), dated August 12, 1992;

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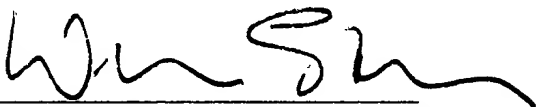
Published European Patent Application No. 0 232 793 A1 (Mikio et al.), dated August 19, 1987;

Published International Application No. 94/13939 (Wieres et al.), dated June 23, 1994 and

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